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Browning et al.

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For: USE OF LYMPHOTOXIN-BETA RECEPTOR BLOCKING AGENTS FOR THE  
TREATMENT OF ANTIBODY MEDIATED IMMUNOLOGICAL DISEASES (as amended)

Examiner: Bansal, G.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed on October 23, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application. Concurrently filed herewith is a Petition for a three month extension of time along with the required fee, making a response due April 23, 2002. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Please enter the following amendments to the above-referenced application.

**IN THE TITLE:**

The title has been amended to read: